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**Theatre.**



► Kevin Dennis as Henry takes measurements of Frankenstein's monster, played by Stephen Gartner, during a media call rehearsal for Frankenstein at the Neptune Theatre yesterday. Frankenstein opens the Neptune's 49th season. More coverage, page 6.

RYAN TAPLIN/METRO

# Former Liberal chairman pleads guilty to fraud

- Charges stem from spending scandal that erupted last year
- Crown lawyer says crimes spanned five years, beginning June 2005

A one-time chairman of Nova Scotia's Liberal caucus was involved in a "scheme" where he falsified his legislature expense claims over several years, the Crown said yesterday after Dave Wilson pleaded guilty for his role in the province's spending scandal.

Wilson, 55, sat silently in court and without expression after pleading guilty to charges of fraud, uttering forged documents and breach of trust. He is the first to be convicted in a scandal that crossed party lines and shook the foundations of Nova Scotia's political establishment.

He also didn't speak outside court, but his lawyer said Wilson will make a statement when he is sentenced on Jan. 25.

Wilson was charged earlier this year after a nine-month RCMP



► Dave Wilson

investigation into the constituency allowance spending of four provincial politicians.

He was charged with 31 counts of uttering forged documents and one count each of fraud and breach of trust. The Crown and defence agreed yesterday to consolidate Wil-

son's 31 counts of uttering forged documents into a single charge.

"We're alleging this was an ongoing scheme," Crown lawyer Andrew Macdonald said outside provincial court.

"The scheme related to expense claims filed by Mr. Wilson which were false ... expenses he alleged were incurred as a member of the legislative assembly."

Macdonald said an agreed statement of facts to be presented at Wilson's sentencing hearing will shed more light on the nature and extent of his crimes. The prosecutor wouldn't comment on whether he will be seeking jail time or financial restitution, but said such offences are particularly serious when they're committed by people who commit to public life.

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# Dog-attack fine to be reviewed

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Coun. Gloria McCluskey barked her way into getting full support from Halifax regional council to review the animal bylaw yesterday evening.

McCluskey wants the

fine for a dog that attacks to be raised to a minimum of \$1,000, or jail time if the owner doesn't pay.

She also wants to restrict the length of dog leashes to two metres and ban retractable leashes.

At one point, council's eyes were directed to the

television screens to watch a slideshow of babies with dogs "to show how loving dogs are," said McCluskey.

"In most instances, it's the owner that is the problem, not the dog.

"It's the way they train the dogs," she added, clutching her fists. "We

need to get tough, and this is the way to get there."

Right now, the standard ticket is \$340.21 — that covers everything from an unlicensed dog or a dog that attacks.

Coun. Lorelei Nicoll said this is an issue that hits close to home.

"Having been bitten by a dog myself, I know there's not a whole lot there to protect people."

Coun. Darren Fisher thanked the council's "resident pit bull" for bringing the motion forward, adding it was long overdue.

# Deficit outlook a tad better

► Four departments over budget, but spending down overall ► Steele warns of risks such as U.S. economy

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Nova Scotia is still heading for a deficit, but it's a slightly smaller deficit than predicted in April.

Finance Minister Graham Steele revealed an updated budget forecast yesterday afternoon, with a projected deficit of \$319.2 million. That's a swing of \$70.4 million to the Department of Finance's spring budget.

"I'm happy to say that due in part to our ongoing tight control of spending, we are running slightly more than \$70 million ahead of where we expected to be," Steele told reporters at One Government Place.

But the majority of the variance has to do with prepayments to two universities. Acadia University and the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design received a

## NewPage impact

► Steele refused to speculate on the NewPage situation yesterday, saying there is too much uncertainty around the mill to accurately predict the effect its closure will have on the province's bottom line.

combined \$39.6 million earlier this year, but before the fiscal year-end. That cost shows up on the 2010-2011 books, and as an "under-spend" on this year's ledger.

Departmental spending is down, largely as a result of those savings. Overall departmental spending is down \$24.8 million over April's prediction, despite four departments coming in over budget.

Revenue predictions have decreased \$11.1 million. According to the Department of Finance, this is related to a change in accounting practices and will not affect the province's bottom line.



► Finance Minister Graham Steele answers questions from the media during his September budget update at One Government Place yesterday.

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An Ontario couple has turned to the courts for help in investigating the health effects of the wind turbines that may soon be in their backyard. Scan code for the story.

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# Troops trained in gun safety: Soldier

Everyone also taught 'instinctive' shooting, target recognition, court martial of Matthew Wilcox hears

A Canadian soldier who was in Afghanistan when a member of his section was fatally shot at Kandahar Airfield in 2007 says everyone in the group had been given extensive weapons safety training.

Sgt. Nathan Crosby was on the stand yesterday at the court martial of former reservist Matthew Wilcox, who is charged in the death of Cpl. Kevin Megeney.

Crosby, who was a master corporal at the time of the incident, said everyone in the section of 10 soldiers was thoroughly briefed on weapons handling before leaving Canada and again on arrival in theatre in December 2006.

"Everyone was aware of orders regarding unloading of weapons at the end of the day," Crosby said.

He testified that verbal directives and standing orders made it clear that their 9-mm pistols and C7 rifles were to be unloaded and stored in lockers when they were in personal quarters.

Wilcox, of Glace Bay, has pleaded not guilty to criminal negligence causing death and negligent performance of a military duty in Megeney's death.



▶ Matthew Wilcox is escorted from a courtroom during his first court martial in 2009. His guilty verdict was set aside and he is being retried for the shooting of his tent mate, Cpl. Kevin Megeney, in what prosecutors allege was a game of "quick draw."

Wilcox was sentenced to four years in prison and kicked out of the military after he was found guilty of the two charges in 2009. The verdict was set aside last year by the Court Martial Appeal Court of Canada and a new trial ordered af-

ter his lawyers argued the makeup of a military jury was unfair.

Megeney, 25, of Stellarton, died in a military hospital on March 6, 2007, after being shot in a tent he shared with Wilcox.

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# \$1 million earmarked for Burnside pathway

Haligonians will soon be able to bike and walk from Bedford to Burnside by way of an active transportation corridor.

Halifax regional council voted to commit the entire active transportation capital budget for 2013-14 — \$1 million — to the project. The corridor will lie parallel to the Burnside Drive extension.

"Not having this option for numerous residents is actually stunning, and I did not realize that," said Coun. Jennifer Watts. "This is a unique opportunity for our residents."

But Coun. Russell Walk-

**"It's great to say, 'Don't worry, be happy, it will happen next year.' Well, for some of my projects, next year never comes."**

COUN. RUSSELL WALKER, REACTING TO COUNCIL'S DECISION ON THE BEDFORD-BURNSIDE PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE PATH

er, who represents Fairview-Clayton Park, was concerned about public works in his district that will be put off for yet another year.

In particular, he noted

the Joseph Howe Drive turning-lanes project that had been scheduled for this fall.

The province will provide the space for the Bedford-Burnside corridor and cover the engineering and construction costs. In exchange, the municipality will pay the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal for the cost of earthwork and sub-grade preparation.

The municipality is also responsible for long-term maintenance and operations, the cost of which is not yet known.

● ALY THOMPSON

# Stadium study to go ahead

**\$275K**

The price tag for the stadium feasibility study.

Halifax regional council was quick to point out the flaws of a motion of recession yesterday that tried to get the municipality to slow down in its quest to build a multi-use stadium.

Aimed at revoking a proposal on the stadium that council passed on Aug. 9, Coun. Reg Rankin's motion provoked heated discussion among council members and, in the end, was defeat-

ed by a landslide.

Council previously authorized a feasibility study on the stadium, and a contract was awarded to a consultant on Monday. So if the process were to be stopped, some of the money committed for the study could be lost, said Richard Butts, the city's chief administrative officer.

● ALY THOMPSON

# Weapons found in home raid

Guns, knives, swords, ammunition and a crossbow were among the weapons seized yesterday in a house in West Arichat in Cape Breton. RCMP with a search warrant retrieved the weapons from the house and arrested two men. A 20-year-old and a 53-year-old are facing charges of unsafe storage of a firearm and illegal possession of firearms.

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# Council aims to hike charge to builders

► Current fee is \$1,000 per new home ► Increase could generate about \$3.5M per year in capital funds: Report

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Halifax regional council has taken the first step toward increasing a fee paid by builders in HRM that will ultimately add to the cost of new homes.

Council approved a motion yesterday seeking the province's permission to amend the HRM's charter to give it the right to collect capital cost contributions from developers, since when a new subdivision or apartment building goes up, the municipality needs to provide more services to that area.



COUN. GLORIA MCCLUSKEY

**"I think this has been a long time coming."**

The city's finance committee recommended charging builders for the increased cost of providing fire services, libraries and recreational facilities.

If the amendment is approved, the city could start charging an additional \$2,000 for every new single-detached home and \$1,600 for every new apartment building, the staff report said. But be-

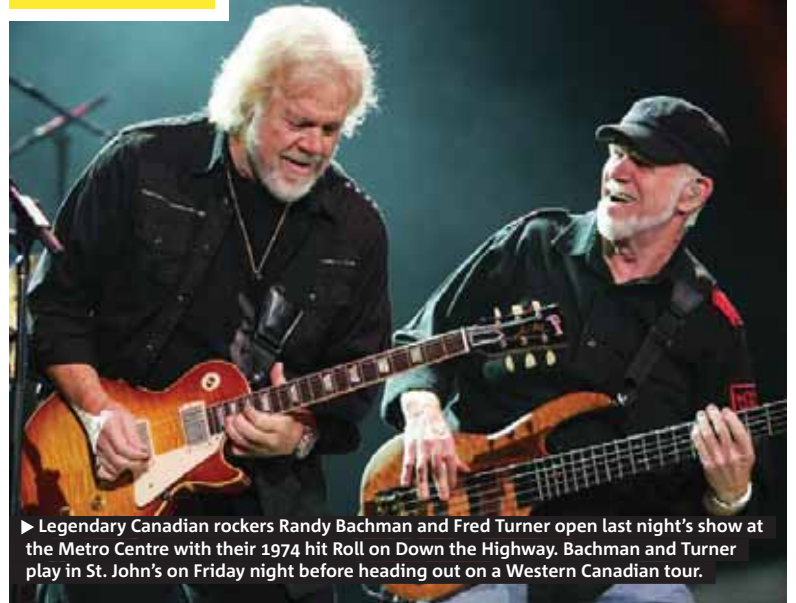
fore that happens, city staff will have to draft a new bylaw.

Coun. Dawn Sloane said, "We talk all the time about how we can raise money for this municipality, and this is how we do it."

While Coun. Debbie Hum was not opposed to approving the request, she did express concerns.

"We still have the capacity for significant growth," said Hum, referring to the Rockingham-Wentworth area. "We're talking acres and acres ... so I'd like to know how this whole scenario fits in with that."

**Bachman. Turner**



► Legendary Canadian rockers Randy Bachman and Fred Turner open last night's show at the Metro Centre with their 1974 hit Roll on Down the Highway. Bachman and Turner play in St. John's on Friday night before heading out on a Western Canadian tour.

RYAN TAPLIN/METRO

## Rock 'n' Roll is the Only Way Out

## HRM name to stay the same

Halifax council members decided overwhelmingly to keep the HRM name yesterday, calling a proposed name change a "branding and marketing exercise."

Multiple councillors noted the costs — potentially millions — involved in changing things like signage and letterheads.

Coun. Jim Smith said council is "borderline insane" in continuing to re-

**"It's been discussed and now we can finally put it to rest."**

COUN. GLORIA MCCLUSKEY

turn to the issue.

Coun. Gloria McCluskey said she achieved what she wanted by putting forth the motion.

"There was never any intent in this motion to spend

any money. The main purpose ... was to bring it to the table," she said.

At a meeting in February, councillors put off discussion of a name change until the results of the next district boundary review. The Utility and Review Board ruled in July that the municipality must redraw the boundaries to include 16 districts, down from the current 23. ● ALY THOMSON

### News in brief

#### Alta. company to explore onshore

**OIL & GAS.** An Alberta-based oil and gas company has been awarded the exploration rights to about 335,500 hectares of land in Nova Scotia.

The Nova Scotia govern-

ment says St. Brendan's Exploration was the successful bidder for the onshore blocks in Malagash, Truemanville and Scotsburn.

The government says the lease agreements have a combined value of \$10.4 million in exploration spending over three years.

There are also two options for renewal for a potential total of nine years. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

#### Trio face drug charges

**TRAFFICKING.** RCMP officers searched an apartment building in Enfield on Monday and seized a half-pound of marijuana and a small amount of cocaine. Two men, aged 21 and 22, as well as a 20-year-old woman were arrested and charged with drug trafficking. ● METRO

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# Monster comes to life in Halifax playhouse

► **Frankenstein premieres Friday and runs until Oct. 9 at Neptune Theatre** ► **Three Halifax actors in the cast**



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"I curse the day I gave you life!"

Harsh words coming from your father, even if you're Frankenstein's creature.

Frankenstein, the horror classic, is Neptune Theatre's opening production in its 49th season.

But don't expect Stephen Gartner, who plays The Creature, to walk around like a robot and grunt. There aren't even bolts in his neck.

Since this adaptation sticks close to the Mary Shelley book, The Creature actually speaks in full sentences.

"He has plenty to say and it isn't quite typical of what people would expect," Gartner said.

But there are twitches in his speech and mobility issues because, after all, he is an experiment

## Curtain rises

The full lineup for the 2011-12 season:

### FOUNTAIN HALL

- Frankenstein, Friday to Oct. 9
- Lost - A Memoir, Oct. 18 to Nov. 6
- The Jungle Book, Nov. 22 to Jan. 8
- Mrs. Parliament's Night Out, Jan. 24 to Feb. 19
- Intimate Apparel, Feb. 28 to March 25
- La Cage aux Folles, April 10 to May 27

### STUDIO SERIES

- Another Home Invasion, Oct. 11 to 23
- Communion, Feb. 7 to 19
- Tempting Providence, April 24 to May 6

made up of body parts sewn together.

"It's a horror, but

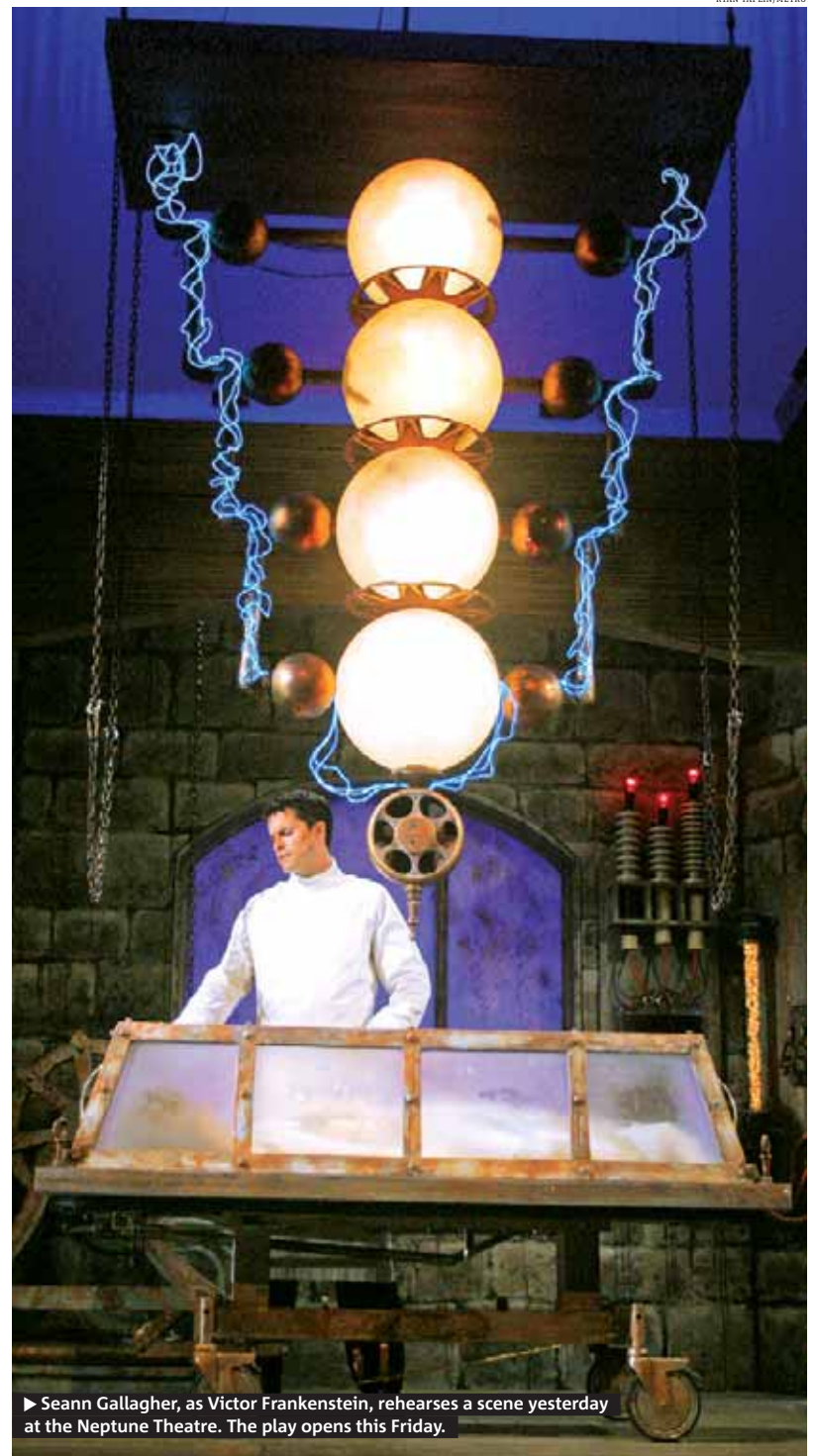
there's a lot of surprising depth there," Gartner said. "And, surprisingly, a lot of humour."

Seann Gallagher, who plays scientist Victor Frankenstein, said Shelley's book from 1818 is still incredibly relevant when it comes to ethical debates on stem-cell research, for example.

"Everyone's afraid of death and he's trying to conquer death. Who wouldn't want to bring someone back to life or keep themselves alive?" Gallagher said. "It's the eternal question."

The sets are intensely visual. What director George Pothitos calls "the gismo" is a mad scientist's contraption made up of balls of light lowered from the ceiling.

"The sets actually help me as an actor because I have things to do, and if I flick a switch, something happens," Gallagher said.



► Seann Gallagher, as Victor Frankenstein, rehearses a scene yesterday at the Neptune Theatre. The play opens this Friday.

## Opener has a lot of Passion

Eastern Front Theatre's The Passion of Adèle Hugo is a musical rom-eddy.

It's a love story/tragedy about Victor Hugo's daughter and her affair with a British soldier.

The theatre company describes its 19th season opener — which was announced yesterday — as an epic true story of obses-

## When & where

- The Passion of Adèle Hugo runs from Nov. 6 to 20 at Neptune Studio Theatre.

sion that drives Hugo to pursue her love halfway around the world.

"Adèle's monumental pursuit of the object of

her desire would be remarkable at any time in history. But for an unchaperoned aristocrat to cross the Atlantic and take on an assumed identity in the garrison town of Halifax in the 1860s, really cries out for dramatization," artistic producer Scott Burke said in a release.

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## News in brief

### Arrests made in robberies

**DARTMOUTH.** Police made arrests in relation to two robberies in Dartmouth yesterday.

A man with his face covered walked into the Nova Scotia Liquor Corpo-

ration on Ochterloney Drive at about 3:15 p.m. He said he had a weapon but no weapon was seen.

When the clerk wouldn't hand over cash, the man grabbed some liquor bottles and left the store.

Then, about 15 minutes later, a similar robbery happened at the Quick Way on Crystal Drive.

Four males were later arrested.

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### Man nabbed after fight

**ALTERCATION.** One man was arrested yesterday following a fight on Barrington Street.

A man pulled out a knife and another man received a minor cut to his arm.

The suspect was arrested a short distance from the scene. ● METRO

# Hikers could be freed in days

► Families are 'overjoyed' ► Accused denied charges, saying they might have mistakenly crossed Iraq border

Iran's president predicted yesterday that two Americans arrested in July 2009 while hiking along the Iraq-Iran border and sentenced to eight years in jail on espionage-related charges could be freed "in a couple of days" after a court set bail of \$500,000 US each.

The events appeared timed to boost the image of President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad coinciding with his visit to New York next week for the UN General Assembly session. Last year, a third American was released on bail around the same time.

In Washington, Secretary of State Hillary Rod-



► U.S. hikers Shane Bauer, left, and Josh Fattal at trial in Iran in February.

ham Clinton said the U.S. was "encouraged" by Ahmadinejad's comments.

Lawyer Masoud Shafiei said the court would begin the process to free Shane Bauer and Josh Fattal after payment of the bail, which must be arranged through

third parties because of U.S. economic sanctions on Iran. The timing of the court's decision is similar to last year's bail deal mediated by the Gulf state of Oman that freed a third American, Sarah Shourd.

"They accepted to set bail to release," Shafiei told The Associated Press after leaving court. "The amount is the same for Sarah."

Ahmadinejad, in an interview aired on NBC's Today show, described the bail offer as a "humanitarian gesture" and repeated complaints about attention for Iranians held in U.S. prisons.

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## Train. Wreck



► View of a crash between two passenger trains and a bus in Buenos Aires yesterday.

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## Driver makes fatal miscalculation

A bus driver gambled and tried to rush across railroad tracks yesterday despite a barrier, bells and flashing lights, setting off a chain-reaction collision with two trains that killed 11 people and injured hundreds in Buenos Aires. The collision happened at 6:15 a.m. during the busy rush hour in the Flores neighbourhood.

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## Accused nabbed in B.C. boy's kidnapping

Kienan Hebert's father says the arrest of the sole suspect in his son's disappearance is a relief for his family and will calm nerves in the British Columbia community.

Convicted sex offender Randall Hopley, 46, was arrested yesterday morning, nearly a week after three-year-old Kienan vanished from his family home in Sparwood, RCMP said. A

worker at a rock quarry in southwestern Alberta, not far from the B.C. boundary, said Hopley was arrested nearby.

Police offered few details of the arrest, which came two days after Kienan was mysteriously returned to his home in the middle of the night.

Hopley has numerous convictions spanning two decades. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

### VOLUME CONTROL

## Get rid of loud TV ads: CRTC

Canada's broadcasters have a year to turn down the volume on their TV

advertisements.

The Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission has ruled that television commercials are indeed annoyingly loud. The agency will give broadcasters until next September to do something about it.

**THE CANADIAN PRESS**

# Utah 'angels' save crash victim's life

► Group of strangers disregard own safety to save motorcyclist trapped under burning wreckage ► Footage of heroic rescue goes viral

CHRIS GARFF/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



► In this image taken from video, a group of people tilt a burning BMW up to free Brandon Wright, on his back on the ground, who was pinned underneath after he collided with the car while riding his motorcycle on U.S. 89 in Logan, Utah.

The bystanders had to act quickly. A motorcyclist had just collided with a car and was pinned beneath the flaming wreckage.

Disregarding their own safety, they lined up on one side of the car. And slowly, they managed to lift the roughly 4,000-pound car just high enough for one rescuer to pull Brandon Wright to safety.

They are being called "heroes" and "angels" — their few minutes of heroics were captured on video and has gone viral on the Internet.

"I'm just very thankful for everyone that helped me out," Wright told The Associated Press by telephone from his hospital bed. "They saved my life."

Most of those who helped then scattered.

"Every one of those people put their lives in danger," assistant police Chief Jeff Curtis said, adding that "you can only speculate

what the outcome would have been if they hadn't lifted that car."

At a hospital news conference yesterday, Wright's uncle, Tyler Riggs, recounted what Wright told his family about Monday's accident.

The crash happened near Utah State University in Logan, north of Salt Lake City. Wright was headed to study at a computer lab, Riggs said. The BMW was pulling out of a parking lot.

Tire and skid marks on the highway showed that Wright laid the bike down and slid along the road before colliding with the car, Curtis said.

Riggs said Wright tried to protect himself by laying his bike down.

The bike hit the car's hood and bounced to the ground, while Wright, who was not wearing helmet, slid under the car and then both vehicles burst into flames, Curtis said.

## "They risked their lives doing it. It restores your faith in humanity."

TYLER RIGGS, VICTIM'S UNCLE, AT PRESS CONFERENCE

The video, shot by university staffer Chris Garff who had seen the smoke, shows a crowd gathering around the burning wreckage as flames shoot into the air.

Some of the rescuers are wearing construction helmets and safety vests, others sport school backpacks and at least one police officer is in the crowd. They quickly place their hands on the car and start to rock it until it tilts up.

Once the car is on its wheels, a construction worker in a hardhat and a lime green T-shirt can be seen dragging a spread-eagled Wright from under the car.

Two officers then move in with a fire extinguisher.

A few minutes pass before paramedics start to provide Wright with medical care. It's unclear whether they had just arrived or whether they were waiting for the scene to be declared safe.

Riggs said Wright remembered details from the crash and told his family that he felt scared and could see and feel the flames.

"He remembers being under the car, spitting up blood and not being able to talk," Riggs said.

Riggs said Wright has not seen the video of the rescue.

Despite not wearing a helmet, Riggs said, Wright had suffered no head trauma.

However, Wright does have two broken legs, a broken pelvis, road rash, burns on his left foot and abrasions to his forehead. The hospital said Wright was in satisfactory condition. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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## U.S. banks must show breakup plan

The largest U.S. banks will be required to show regulators how they would break up and sell off their assets if they are in danger of failing.

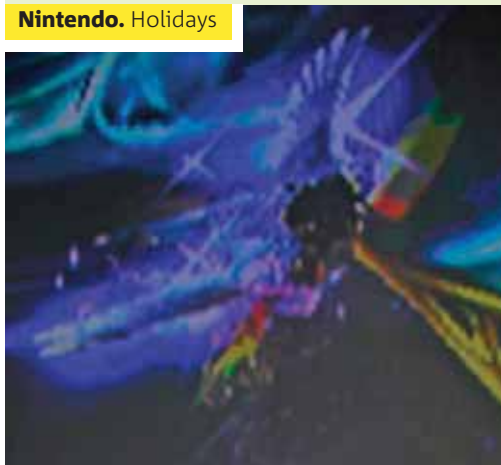
The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. voted 3-0 yesterday to approve the rules, which were mandated under the financial overhaul passed by Congress last year. They are designed to reduce the chances of another government bailout of Wall Street banks in the event of another financial crisis.

The rules require banks with \$50 billion US or more in assets to submit so-called living wills to the FDIC, the Federal Reserve and the Financial Stability Oversight Council and send revised plans annually.

Among the banks affected are Bank of America Corp., Citigroup Inc., Goldman Sachs Group Inc. and JPMorgan Chase & Co.

The biggest banks of the group would have to start filing their plans next July. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

### Nintendo. Holidays



► Nintendo president Satoru Iwata speaks at a news conference at a convention center in Tokyo yesterday.



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## Making up for lost time

The Japanese video-game maker is readying an array of video games for the holidays in an aggressive attempt at making up for lost time from the sales delay of the 3DS portable machine last year.

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► A homeless man plays his guitar while panhandling on the street in New York City in June.

## U.S. poverty rate soars to 1 in 6

► 50-million Americans go without health coverage, report reveals

The ranks of America's poor swelled to almost one in six people last year, reaching a new high as long-term unemployment left millions of Americans struggling and out of work. The number of uninsured edged up to 49.9 million, the biggest in more than two decades.

The Census Bureau's annual report released yesterday offers a snapshot of the economic well-being of U.S. households for 2010, when joblessness hovered above nine per cent for a second year. It comes at a politically sensitive time for President Barack Obama, who has acknowledged in the midst of a re-election fight that the unemployment rate could persist at high levels through next year.

The overall poverty rate climbed to 15.1 per cent, or 46.2 million, up from 14.3 per cent in 2009. The official poverty level is an annual income of \$22,314 US for a family of four.

Reflecting the lingering impact of the recession, the U.S. poverty rate from 2007-2010 has now risen faster than any three-year period since the early 1980s, when a crippling energy crisis amid government cutbacks

contributed to inflation, spiralling interest rates and unemployment.

Measured by total numbers, the 46 million now living in poverty is the largest on record dating back to when the census began tracking poverty in 1959. Based on percentages, it tied the poverty level in 1993 and was the highest since 1983.

The median household income was \$49,445, down 2.3 per cent from 2009.

The latest numbers, which cover Obama's second year in office, offer political fodder for both parties as Obama seeks to push a new \$447-billion US plan for creating jobs and stimulating the economy.

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### Other findings

- Poverty rose among all race and ethnic groups except Asians.
- The number of Hispanics in poverty increased to 26.6 per cent from 25.3 per cent.
- For blacks, it increased to 27.4 per cent from 25.8 per cent.
- The number of whites in poverty rose to 9.9 per cent from 9.4 per cent.

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## Canada's rich-poor gap widening faster than peers'

Canada is rapidly catching up to the United States as a country divided between haves and have-nots, according to a study issued yesterday by the Conference Board.

The Conference Board says income inequality has been rising more in Canada than in the United States since the mid-1990s, and

faster than in many peer countries.

In fact, the think-tank says Canada had the fourth-largest increase in income disparity among a sample group of 17 advanced economies in the period between the mid-1990s and the late 2000s.

"Even though the U.S. currently has the largest

rich-poor income gap among these countries, the gap in Canada has been rising at a faster rate," said Anne Golden, the board's chief executive.

Overall, income inequality rose in 10 of the countries sampled, rising fastest in Sweden, Finland and Denmark.

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## Fraud convictions upheld in Livent case

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► Livent co-founder Garth Drabinsky

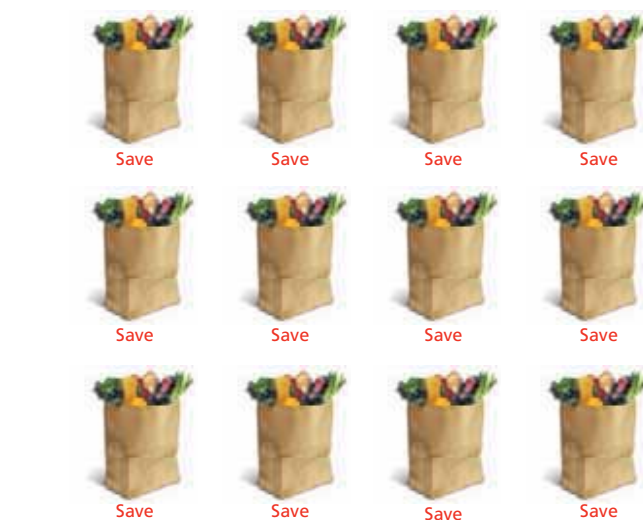
Disgraced impresarios Garth Drabinsky and Myron Gottlieb, whose company Livent Inc. was once the toast of the Canadian theatre scene, remain guilty of fraud but will serve shorter prison terms, Ontario's highest court has ruled.

The Ontario Court of Appeal upheld the fraud convictions handed down by a lower court in 2009, but trimmed their jail time by two years each — Drabinsky must now serve five years behind bars, and Gottlieb four years.

The two were convicted after Ontario Judge Mary Lou Benotto found that during a nine-year span they manipulated the income reported by Livent, once the driving force behind Canadian and Broadway theatre hits like *The Phantom of the Opera* and *Showboat*.

At the time of their trial, Benotto imposed a sentence that took into account the magnitude of the company's collapse — it was estimated at the time that investors lost some \$500 million when the company went bankrupt in 1998.

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### News in brief

#### Air Canada facing strike

**DISPUTE.** Air Canada could face its second work stoppage this year after flight attendants overwhelmingly endorsed a strike that could begin as early as next week.

The Canadian Union

of Public Employees said yesterday that after a 10-day vote, employees voted 98 per cent to back a strike.

Unless a last-minute deal is reached, 6,800 flight attendants could walk off the job Sept. 21. The key areas of dispute are wages, pensions and crew rest, working conditions and work rules, said Jeff Taylor, head of the flight attendants' union.

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#### Loonie inches back upward

**REBOUND.** The Canadian dollar found lift against its U.S. counterpart yesterday, as a rebound in commodity prices overshadowed some troubling economic signs.

On Monday, it had sunk as low as 99.73 cents US, its lowest level since Jan. 31.

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# 100 ACRES OF INFIDELITY

JUST SAYIN' ...

PAUL SULLIVAN  
METRO



Quick quiz: Who is the most admired person on Earth, living or dead? If your list starts with Martin Luther King Jr., you get the kewpie doll. For example, in a recent survey of 2,000 U.S. high school

students, Dr. King was No. 1 above Benjamin Franklin and even Oprah, the only living admirable person who made the list. On survey after survey he's right up there with Gandhi, Nelson Mandela and Winnie the Pooh (even though he is a bear of very little brain, OK?).

If your list started with Jackie Kennedy Onassis, you're eligible for therapy. She was probably the most famous woman of her generation, but hardly the most admired. True, as U.S. first lady, she put up with serial adulterer John Kennedy until he was assassinated. But when she married Aristotle Onassis, the creepy Greek shipping mag-

nate, she became an object of cynical disdain, especially when, once widowed, she launched a two-year legal battle to extract \$26 million out of Christina Onassis, Ari's daughter and sole heir.

Here's an ironic historical footnote. Recently released interview tapes reveal that when she was first lady, Jackie thought King was "tricky" and "phony" because the FBI caught him with a woman in his hotel room.

This was before it became apparent that "John Kennedy Slept Here" was a whole different story than "George Washington Slept Here."

It's not really fair to judge Jackie with the benefit of hindsight, but that tricky phoney has his own national holiday, Martin Luther King boulevards in every

U.S. 'burg and more than 10,000 (and who knows the degree to which his fame extends to hamlets) public schools, community centres and libraries.

Jackie has the reservoir in Central Park, although once again I'm being unfair. She is also memorialized in a white gazebo in Middleburg, Va., where she often participated in the bizarre practice of inducing hounds to chase and tear apart a fox.

I'm not sure why Jackie O. was oblivious to greatness, though I harbour graceless suspicions. Give her the benefit of the doubt and take the "tricky phoney" talk at face value. After all, if he was discovered in a hotel room with another woman in 2011, King would make an entirely different list, along with Arnold Schwarzenegger, Eliot Spitzer and the much-admired Anthony Weiner, not to mention Jackie's husband JFK, who brought a whole new meaning to "affairs of state."

The times, they are a changin'. And through it all, Winnie the Pooh remains devoted to Christopher Robin.

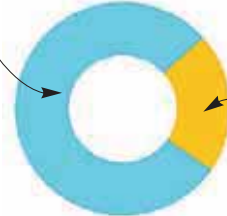
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## Worth mentioning

What's killing us? For decades, global health leaders have focused on diseases that can spread — AIDS, tuberculosis, new flu bugs. They pushed for vaccines, better treatments and other ways to control germs that were only a plane ride away from seeding outbreaks anywhere in the world.

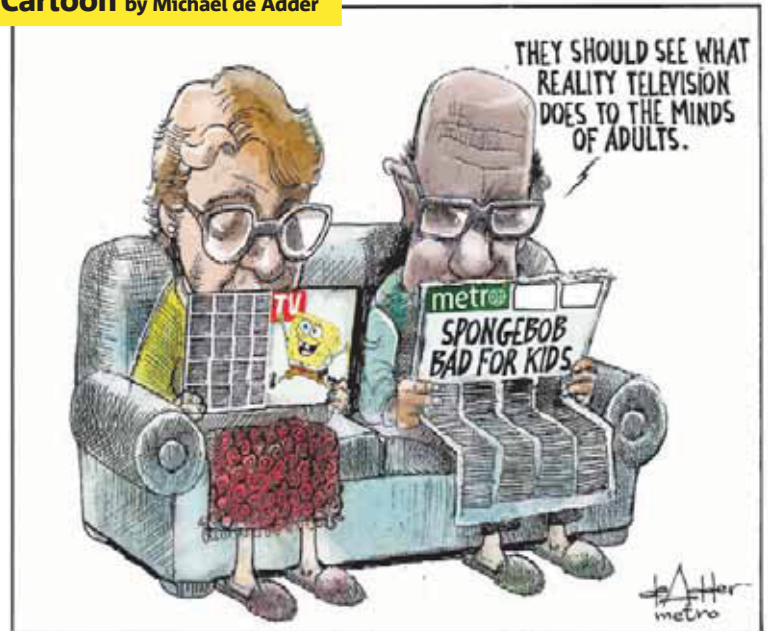
Now they are turning to a new set of culprits causing what United Nations Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon calls "a public-health emergency in slow motion." This time, germs aren't the target: We are, along with our bad habits like smoking, overeating and getting too little exercise.

Next week, the UN General Assembly will hold its first summit on chronic diseases — cancer, diabetes, and heart and lung disease. Those account for nearly two-thirds of deaths worldwide, or about 36 million. In the United States, they kill nearly nine out of 10 people.

"The common belief that cancer is a problem of rich countries is a misconception," said Dr. Eduardo Cazap, president of the Union For International Cancer Control.

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## Cartoon by Michael de Adder



## WEIRD NEWS

### A 290-pound man goes to White Castle

A man is suing the White Castle chain, claiming the booths in one of its hamburger restaurants are too small.

Martin Kessman says in the federal lawsuit filed last week that he was embarrassed in 2009 when he tried squeezing his six-foot, 290-pound frame into the seating at a White Castle in New York state.

He says he slammed his knee into



a metal post under the table and was in pain.

The lawsuit claims the restaurant could not accommodate a customer of Kessman's stature, in violation of the Americans With Disabilities Act.

The suit seeks an unspecified financial judgment.

Spokesman Jamie Richardson at White Castle headquarters in Columbus, Ohio, says the restaurant is being replaced and that the new one will have roomier seating.

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# 2 scene



Michelle Williams tells Vogue magazine in their upcoming issue that although life has settled since the death of her former fiancé, actor Heath Ledger, it's affected all facets of her life.

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► Drew Powell as Bic, James Marsden as David Sumner and Billy Lush as Chris star in Straw Dogs.

## Dog days of summer

► The man behind remake of Straw Dogs, Rod Lurie, speaks to Metro about its significance



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The year 1971 was a watershed time for new cinema. Films like *A Clockwork Orange*, *Dirty Harry* and *Straw Dogs* pushed the boundaries of what was acceptable on the silver screen. None are passive films.

Each brims with the obsessions of their makers, and for that each was the subject of controversy and censorship.

Eventually they became accepted by the main-

stream. *A Clockwork Orange* has become a cultural touchstone, with everyone from Lady Gaga to David Bowie to Kylie Minogue, who dressed in a black bowler hat and a white jumpsuit on tour in 2002, paying tribute.

It was even played at the Cannes Film Festival and released on Blu Ray to mark its 40th anniversary. *Dirty Harry* is on constant rotation on television and Rod Lurie's remake of the Sam Peckinpah film *Straw Dogs* hits screens this weekend.

The movie stars James

**"This was an era in which people were searching for answers to the madness that was going on around them."**

ROD LURIE

Marsden and Kate Bosworth as David and Amy Sumner, a big city couple who move back to her hometown on the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

Tensions with some of the locals (including True Blood's Alexander Skars-

gård) bubble to the surface and soon boil over into violence.

"If you look at a movie like *Straw Dogs*, which was heavily influenced by a book called *The Territorial Imperative*," says Lurie, "Peckinpah seems to be saying that violence is in the genetics of all men and therefore we must be aware of it so we can control it. It was extremely fascist thinking but that also seems to be the thing with *Dirty Harry*."

"*A Clockwork Orange* is a much more clinical look at that but I think artists

were trying to provide the answers top what society was asking then. It was a very, very violent era.

"This was an era in which people were searching for answers to the madness that was going on around them," Lurie continues, "and filmmakers were trying to provide some of the answers. You had everything from the assassinations of Kennedy and King to Vietnam to the Whitman murders to My Lai. I think all of society was trying to understand how human beings could do such things."

## SARAH'S FLIP FLOPPING MOVIE CAREER

### IN FOCUS

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Sarah Jessica Parker is best known as Carrie Bradshaw, the sharp-tongued figurehead of *Sex and the City*, the long-running ode to post feminism and stylish clothes. But before Mr. Big and the Louboutins she was a movie star with some classics — like *Footloose* — and some stinkers — like *Dudley Do-Right* — to her

credit.

This weekend she's back on the big screen for the first time in a non-Sex and the City movie since the 2009 flop *Did You Hear about the Morgans?* In *I Don't Know How She Does It* she plays a version of Carrie all grown up with kids and a job in the financial sector.

It's a far cry from her first big movie, *Footloose*. She played Rusty, a role Parker has called the "best friend of the pretty girl."

The movie and its fancy footwork earned her a Best Young Supporting Actress in a Motion Picture

Musical, Comedy, Adventure or Drama nomination at the Sixth Annual Youth in Film Awards.

A few forgettable films followed like *Firstborn* — described as a "heavy-handed suburban sitcom" — *Girls Just Want to Have Fun* — called "a total wannabe in the realm of '80s teen flicks" — and *Flight of the Navigator*, which features the voice of Pee Wee Herman as a robot.

It wasn't until she teamed with Steve Martin in L.A. Story that things started looking up.

In this surreal look at

life and love in Los Angeles Parker plays SanDeE, a ditzy blonde who aspires to be a superstar spokesmodel.

"Um, it's just a model who speaks," she explains. "You know, and she points at things like merchandise, you know, like a car or washer and dryer."

Sometimes it's something really small, you know, like, like a book or fine art print."

The movie broke her out of the teen movie mode and displayed her deft comic timing, which was put to great use in *Honeymoon in Vegas* op-

posite Nic Cage.

A few flops later she appeared in the critically acclaimed *Ed Wood* with Johnny Depp.

Playing the much put-upon girlfriend of the world's worst director, she calls the actors and crew of his film *Bride of the Monster* "the usual cast of misfits and dope addicts."

Her most spectacular pre-Sex and the City role, however, is in *Mars Attacks*.

In it she plays a flighty talk show host, who literally becomes a talking head when she is beheaded by aliens.



Prosecutors appeal dismissal of conspiracy counts in Anna Nicole Smith drug case



# Soap star lashes out at ABC

► Susan Lucci upset with network as TV version of All My Children comes to an end

Erica Kane wouldn't leave quietly if she felt she'd been wronged. Neither is Susan Lucci as All My Children nears its end on ABC.

Lucci has portrayed Kane on the drama, which airs

its last episode on ABC on Sept. 23, and it's unclear whether she will be a part of an attempt to migrate the series online.

In a newly published epilogue to her memoir, Lucci

sharply criticized her ABC bosses for axing All My Children, which has been on the air since 1970.

She said the decision to cancel the show was motivated by greed and said

the head of ABC's daytime unit, Brian Frons, has "that fatal combination of ignorance and arrogance."

Frons, in cancelling All My Children and One Life to Live in April, said the

soap operas were a victim of declining interest.

He said trying to prop up shows in severe decline was like "trying to catch a falling knife."

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► Susan Lucci

## Showing his fanboys some geek-chic love

► Super Size Me creator Spurlock embraces fans with Comic-Con doc

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► Morgan Spurlock speaks at The Pirates! Band Of Misfits Panel during Comic-Con 2011.

Morgan Spurlock went to a convention in San Diego two years ago and found his people — geeks and fanboys, just like he is.

The director of Super Size Me found Comic-Con such a mecca for fans of comic books, superheroes and other aspects of geek culture that he felt compelled to make a movie about the place.

Comic-Con Episode IV: A Fan's Hope, playing at a number of film festivals, is a love song to the fans who journey every year to mix with their kind — and those continually telling themselves that next year, they'll make it there themselves.

Spurlock, who grew up reading comics and idolizing Marvel Comics mastermind Stan Lee, first went

to the four-day convention in summer 2009 to recruit fans of The Simpsons for a 20th anniversary special he was making about the animated TV series.

"I'm there watching this going, 'This is the greatest thing I've ever seen. This is amazing. This is a movie,'" Spurlock said in an interview over the weekend after the Toronto festival premiere of Comic-Con.

"Later on that night is when I met Stan Lee at a party and kind of just gushed to Stan, telling him how much he changed my life as a kid. And he said, 'We should make a movie together. We should make a documentary about Comic-Con.'"

The rest, as they say, is history.

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# Aniston's mom suffers a stroke

► Star reportedly visiting her mother in hospital with boyfriend Justin Theroux ► Actress and her mom have had rocky relationship

Jennifer Aniston's mom, Nancy Dow, was reportedly hospitalized recently after suffering a stroke, according to the Daily Mail.

"She's in the hospital. She's fabulous, a very nice lady. She's also very private," a source says of Dow, who is said to be unable to speak and in serious condition.

Aniston reportedly vis-

ited the hospital with Justin Theroux at her side.

Aniston and Dow were on the outs for many years, with the actress not even inviting her mother to her 2000 wedding to Brad Pitt, though they reportedly reconciled in 2008.

Aniston's rep would only say that it was a private family matter.

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► Jennifer Aniston

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► Megan Fox

## Megan Fox up for motherhood

Megan Fox is up for being a mom, but first she needs to pad out her bank account.

"I want to have children. I've always wanted kids," she tells Amica magazine.

"I have a number in my mind of what amount of money I want in the bank so that I can protect my

child's future."

While she's saving, she's also ditching her vegan diet.

"For a year and a half, until about four months ago, I followed a strict vegan diet based on raw fruits and vegetables, no bread, sugar and coffee. But I had lost too much weight," she says. ● METRO

## Christina Aguilera will stay with The Voice for Season 2

Producers behind the reality singing competition The Voice have no plans to ditch judge Christina Aguilera, despite rumours that the singer isn't going to be part of the show's second

season. "There is absolutely no truth to the rumour," NBC's Paul Telegdy says in an official statement. Aguilera is still under contract for season two, which premieres in February. ● METRO



► Christina Aguilera

## Go Harry

Prince Harry set a record for closing the largest foreign exchange deal while manning the phones during a charity event, completing a \$24.5 billion deal between Barclays London and a European counterpart, according to the London Metro.

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### Celebrity tweets



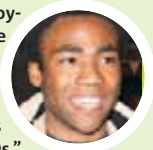
"What kind of music would y'all want from me on my next album? Thinking about going back to the studio"



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"I'm enjoying these girls dressed like faux tomboys in the 70s."



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Eva Longoria admits it's a little too soon after her split from Tony Parker to think about settling down again.

"I'm not opposed to it, I just don't really

give it a lot of thought right now," Longoria tells Access Hollywood.

"Ask a woman after divorce if she's going to get married, you won't get an honest answer."

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# French food, culture await in St. Pierre & Miquelon

► The islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon offer a taste of France, just a short ferry ride off the coast of Newfoundland

This tiny collection of islands, about 25 kilometres from Fortune, N.L., has a total population of around 7,000 people. It is all that remains of colonial New France.

A former strategic land base for the once lucrative cod fishery, the French government now pays about \$65 million a year in subsidies to sustain the islands — its only toehold in North America. St. Pierre and Miquelon were returned to France in 1815 after several stints of British occupation.

Today, residents speak French, deal in Euros and rely heavily on government jobs, fishing and tourism.

The smallest of the islands, St. Pierre, is also the most populated, with colourful clapboard homes on tidy, winding streets that are home to about 6,000 people. Restaurants and bakeries bustle with foreigners in summer.

History buffs won't want to miss the L'Arche museum in the centre of town, where a guillotine similar to one used in 1889 is housed. The eerie killing machine is on display next to the museum's main staircase. The only soul to die by guillotine in North America was a fisherman

convicted of murdering a fishing boat captain. He was beheaded in St. Pierre on Aug. 24, 1889. It is said that local people were so disgusted the guillotine was never used again.

On the lighter side, visitors can also soak up rich tales of rum-running and gangsters, as St. Pierre became the ideal base for booze shipments to a very thirsty North America during Prohibition in the 1920s.

In Miquelon, with a permanent population of about 700 people, the church L'Eglise de Miquelon tells local history in its stained glass windows. "It's worth a visit because it's so beautiful," Madeline Fitzsimmons of Huntsville, Ont., said during a trip last month to the islands. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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► The harbour of St. Pierre was once the perfect base for booze shipments for North America under the wraps of Prohibition.

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## Travel in brief



Authors will be taking to the water on Sept. 25 for readings at the Word on the Street book and magazine festival in Halifax. The deck of CSS Acadia, the 98-year-old scientific ship parked beside the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic, will be the stationary setting for readings by Steven Laffoley and Jerry Lockett from their new, nautical books. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



Canadians less green when they're travelling than at home, says eco group.

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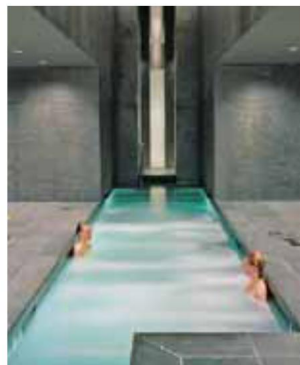
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► Bodo Sandhills gives visitors the chance to uncover a piece of history.

# Down and dirty in Bodo, Alberta

## THE TRAVELLIN' CANADIAN

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Tourists may be flocking to Drumheller to witness the wealth of ancient dinosaur bones, but another rural Alberta archaeological site is raising eyebrows these days.

I was just a tad apprehensive on my way out to the middle of nowhere somewhere near Wainright, Alta., I think, to visit the even smaller and even more out-of-the-way tiny

hamlet of Bodo. The official population base is listed at "about 27 people." This place makes Moose Jaw seem like a metropolis.

Not long after arriving in the flat, almost desert-like terrain, I was struck by the history, and the unique hands-on experience of uncovering that history.

More and more tourists are flocking here to get their hands dirty at an ancient Native burial ground.

Just a five-minute drive from the town, if you want to call it that, is the beautiful and unique Bodo Sandhills. The mosquitoes were pretty unbearable, but I forgot about my 900 or so bites when we actually had a chance to dig at a large ancient buffalo kill site.

This is the exact area where First Nations people

trapped and killed their food, hundreds of years ago, and all around is the evidence. Just a few inches under the ground are thousands and thousands of well-preserved Bison bones.

What makes Bodo so great is that it allows the stunned layman to at least pretend he's a great explorer and famous archaeologist.

### Other things to do

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◆ Shiitake mushrooms and fresh thyme complement salmon and rice ◆ Serve with white wine and lemon wedges ◆ Omega-3 fatty acids have never been this tasty

Whether grilled on the barbecue or cooked in the oven, these packets are ideal for entertaining. They can be prepared in advance, refrigerated and cooked just before serving. Steaming the ingredi-

ents in the packet infuses the flavours, creating a mouth-watering, robust taste.

## Salmon and Rice Packets Preparation:

- 1 Preheat oven to 230 C (450 F). Or preheat barbecue to high.
- 2 Cut 4 pieces of parchment or foil into 30-cm (12-inch) squares.
- 3 In a large skillet, melt butter over medium heat. Add green onions and garlic; cook until fragrant but not browned, about 1 minute. Add mushrooms, fennel and thyme and cook until mushrooms are golden, most of the liquid has evaporated and fennel is tender crisp.
- 4 Spread 125 ml (1/2 cup) of the rice on one side of a sheet of parchment. Lay a portion of fish over rice, top with a quarter of the mushroom-fennel mixture and sprinkle with coarse salt and fresh cracked pepper. Repeat with remaining portions.
- 5 Seal packages and place on a rimmed baking sheet. Bake in oven until puffed and golden, about 8 minutes. To cook on the barbecue, place

## Shopping List:

### Rice and Salmon Packets

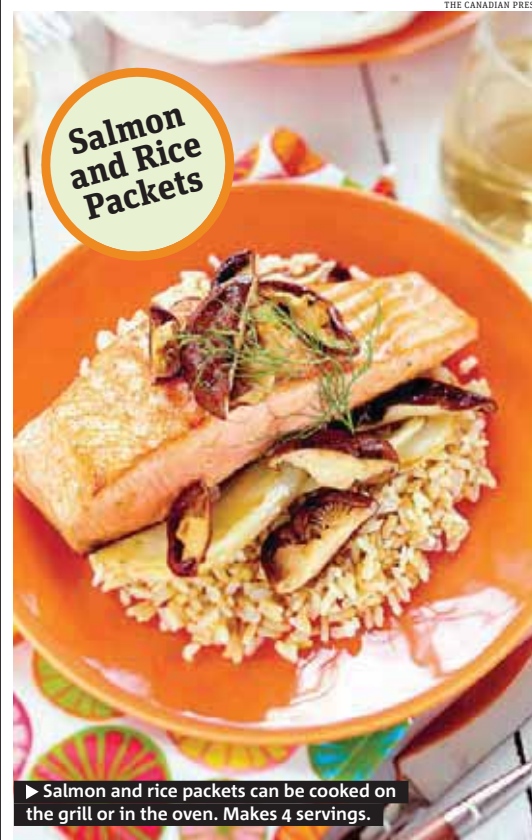
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) butter
- 4 green onions, white parts only, sliced (reserve greens for garnish)
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 250 g (8 oz) shiitake mushrooms thickly sliced
- 1/2 small fennel bulb, sliced
- 5 ml (1 tsp) minced fresh thyme
- 500 ml (2 cups) cooled, cooked brown rice
- 2 ml (1/2 tsp) each coarse salt and fresh cracked pepper
- 4 fish fillets (each 125 g/4 oz), such as salmon, halibut, cod or Arctic char
- Lemon wedges

packets on a rimmed baking sheet and place on grill over direct heat. Close lid and cook for about 8 minutes.

- 6 Serve in paper packet or carefully transfer contents to a dinner plate. Serve with lemon wedges.

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► Salmon and rice packets can be cooked on the grill or in the oven. Makes 4 servings.

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# Keep your chin up during the co-op hunt

## STUDENT VOICE

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When I first heard about co-operative education programs offered at universities, I immediately figured that the work-study cycle would be an excellent way to gain exposure to the professional world.

All throughout my first year I was looking forward to working at a job related to what I was studying. As my first work term approached, I quickly realized how difficult it would be, especially since my faculty is the smallest on campus and I am competing with students in their upper years.

When I started searching for my first co-op position, there were lots of



► Shabdit Shah pursued a placement relentlessly and his hard work finally paid off.

job postings available but out of the many positions I applied to, I only managed to obtain one interview out of that first cycle.

My search did not get any easier in the second job posting round, as the job postings became scarce and my chances at securing employment

slim.

After countless cover letters and resumé modifications I received another two interviews, both which did not lead to a work placement. My struggles continued well into exam period last December and eventually the term ended.

As I was packing my belongings for the winter holidays I realized I had nowhere to work for my first co-op term.

Near the end of January I was able to secure employment through the university job search portal for a position I applied for several weeks back.

My first co-op job

search in university taught me that previous experience (especially relevant experience) really counts and sometimes volunteer work doesn't cut it.

Employers should realize that students who are trying to secure their first work term placements are part of the pool that they will be selecting candidates from for the next couple of years as well. Don't rule students out when you see a lack of work experience on their resumé.

Students may not always have relevant work experience, but they may have other relevant vol-

### What I learned

Key take-aways from Shabdit's experience:

- Gain relevant experience in your field to be taken seriously by employers
- Clearly highlight how your extra-curricular activities gave you transferable skills applicable to your job
- Stay motivated — persistence and hard work pays off!

unteer experience instead.

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## Sports in brief



Former World Series MVP Manny Ramirez, who retired this year amid allegations of banned-substance use, is facing criminal prosecution on charges he hit his wife during an argument. Ramirez, 39, could get up to a year in jail if convicted of misdemeanor domestic-battery charges. He was released on \$2,500 US bail yesterday after spending the night in the Broward County Jail in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.



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# Short-handed in Halifax

- Herd hope to know more today about Frk's status for home opener
- Won't disclose specific injury



**PHILIP CROUCHER**  
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Eight is more than enough for the Halifax Mooseheads.

Fans won't get to enjoy seeing the full roster — not even close, actually — when the Mooseheads host the Bathurst Titan on Friday night for their home opener at the Halifax Metro Centre.

Upward of eight regulars could be missing — five of whom are away at NHL training camps and three due to injuries.

The injured list includes star sniper Martin Frk, who is still recovering from what the team is terming only as an upper-body injury. The injury kept him out of the Mooseheads' two games last weekend to open the season.

"He's really day to day," Mooseheads general manager Cam Russell said yesterday. "We are still hoping he can (play) for the weekend, but we are not sure."

Halifax was missing seven regulars last weekend to open the new season and earned a road split — a 6-5 shootout win against the Prince Edward Island Rocket on Friday and a 7-3 setback to the Titan the following day.

## Missing in action

### NHL training camps:

Brent Andrews (Nashville Predators)  
Alexandre Grenier (Vancouver Canucks)  
Gabriel Desjardins (Tampa Bay Lightning)  
Sawyer Hannay (Vancouver Canucks)  
Konrad Abeltshauser (San Jose Sharks)

### Injured:

Martin Frk (upper body)  
Ryan Falkenham (lower body)  
Andrew Ryan (broken ankle)

In that game against Bathurst, rookie forward Ryan Falkenham suffered what the team is dubbing a lower-body injury and is questionable for the weekend.

Halifax is also home to the Moncton Wildcats on Saturday. Both games are set for 7 p.m.

"We could be looking at four forward affiliates for the game to give us 20 players," Russell said of Friday's home opener. "It's tough that we could be looking at being down that many players, but we want to make sure we come out (on Friday) and play a high-energy game — an exciting game for the fans."



► Martin Frk, 17, led the Halifax Mooseheads in scoring last season.

## Canadians, Wildcats set for playoff clash

The Nova Scotia Senior Baseball League playoffs kick off tonight at the Mainland Common field with the Halifax Pelham Molson Canadians hosting the Kentville Wildcats.

The first pitch in Game 1 of the best-of-five series is set for 7:30 p.m.

Halifax goes in as the series favourite, finishing five games ahead of Kentville for second place

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**Number of wins recorded by the Halifax Pelham Molson Canadians this season in 32 games.**

in the five-team league. Each team won four times in eight head-to-head meetings this season.

The other best-of-five

series opens on Saturday with the first-place Dartmouth Moosehead Dry going up against the Sydney Sooners in a double-header at Beazley Field.

Game 1 is set for 3 p.m., with Game 2 to follow at 7 p.m.

In the season series, Dartmouth won all eight games, outscoring Sydney 85-16.

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## Sports in brief

### Titan battle back for win in Moncton

**QMJHL.** The Acadie Bathurst Titan overturned a three-goal first-period deficit to beat the Wildcats 4-3 in Quebec Major Junior Hockey League action last night. The Titan scored three in the second period and Zach O'Brien scored the winner in the third period on a two man advantage.

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### Sanchez puts concussion talk to rest

**NFL.** Jets quarterback Mark Sanchez says he is fine after being tested for a concussion following a season-opening win over the Dallas Cowboys.

Sanchez acknowledged the tests yesterday on New York's 1050 ESPN Radio, saying the team "checked my baseline tests and compared it to my balance test and everything now." He says he feels good and was never concerned he had a concussion. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS





► Boston's Dustin Pedroia rounds the bases after a home run off of Toronto starting pitcher Brandon Morrow last night.

# Boston bats come up big against Blue Jays

► Slumping Red Sox lay beating on Toronto ► Pad wild-card lead over Rays

Tim Wakefield earned his 200th win on his eighth try. Dustin Pedroia hit two homers in Boston's highest-scoring game of the season and the Red Sox ended a five-game losing streak with an 18-6 rout of the Toronto Blue Jays last night.

The Red Sox needed the victory badly after their AL wild-card lead over Tampa Bay had dropped from nine games to three over the previous nine days. And the 45-year-old knuckleballer was eager to end the long wait — 0-3 in seven outings since his last win July 24 —



to become the 108th pitcher with 200 wins.

Wakefield (7-6) went six innings and overcame a

shaky outing to retire his final six batters. He left with a 6-5 lead after allowing six hits and two walks. He struck out two.

The crowd at Fenway Park clapped and chanted "Wakefield! Wakefield!" as Junichi Tazawa pitched the ninth for Boston, which moved four games in front of the Rays. Tampa Bay lost 4-2 at Baltimore.

The Red Sox added to their cushion with four runs in the sixth on a double by Carl Crawford, an RBI single by Jarrod Saltalamacchia, a single by Jacoby

Ellsbury and a three-run homer by Pedroia, his 20th of the year.

Pedroia, who tied his career high with five RBIs, also was on the tail end of consecutive homers with Ellsbury in the fourth.

Pedroia went 4-for-5 with two homers, two doubles and a sacrifice fly after going 3-for-31 on the road trip that ended Sunday with Boston losing six of seven games. Ellsbury also had four hits and Crawford had three as Boston finished with 18.

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## Already atop the world of tennis, Djokovic aims higher

Novak Djokovic is ranked No. 1 and is 64-2 in 2011, and sees room for improvement.

He won three of four Grand Slam titles this year — the Australian Open, Wimbledon and U.S. Open — and is talking about adding to his collection.

"There is a lot more to prove, a lot more tournaments to win," Djokovic told reporters at the Empire State Building yesterday, a day after he beat Rafael Nadal in the U.S. Open final.

And that's not all: Djokovic gained plenty of attention for his spot-on impersonations of other players (Nadal, Andy Roddick and Maria Sharapova, among others), and now he wants to pursue acting.

"Yeah. Why not? I might do something if I have time soon. And I would like to. I just think show business is

### Leading man

Djokovic didn't say whether he'd like to wind up on TV or in a movie, but the 24-year-old Serb did say he has had offers.

something that attracts me," he said.

He's doing pretty well at his day job, putting together what seven-time major champion John McEnroe called "the greatest year in the history of our sport, there's no doubt about it."

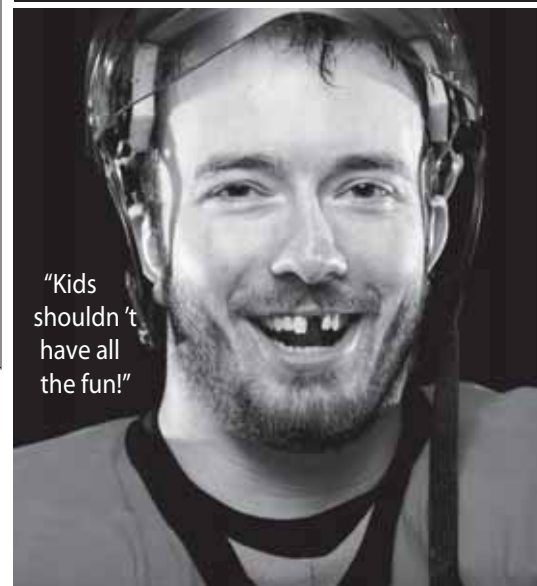
McEnroe, by the way, went 82-3 in 1984.

As impressive as Djokovic's overall record is, what's even more indicative of exactly how well he's playing is that he is 10-1 against Nadal and Roger Federer this season.

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## Monster engine

The Dodge Charger SRT8's potency has been significantly enhanced for 2012.

The previous 2010 SRT8 (a 2011 version was never offered) generated 425 horsepower and 420 pound-feet of torque from a 6.1-litre "Hemi" V-8.

What's now being served up is a 6.4-litre Hemi that produces 470 horsepower and 470 pound-feet of torque.

What's more, a significant amount of that torque kicks in below the 3,000-r.p.m. range to help enhance the car's off-the-line scoot.

## Hustle and (gas) flow

The SRT's development team will brag that the chunky 1,985-kilogram Charger can hustle to 60 m.p.h. (96 km/h) from a dead stop in "the high four-second range" and is capable of a 280 km/h top speed.

To try to keep the SRT8's premium-gas habit within an acceptable range, the engine uses Chrysler's latest deactivation technology that cuts out half the cylinders over a wider r.p.m. range for an estimated 25 per cent increase in highway fuel economy (8.0 l/100 km, est.).

## Brembo brakes

Perhaps the most obvious SRT8 feature is its very distinctive 20-inch (and nine-inch-wide) polished aluminum wheels that really set this beast apart from mainstream Chargers.

To haul the big, bad Dodge down in a hurry, there are front and rear Brembo-brand four-piston brake calipers and a special underbody ducting that help keep the brakes cooler and more fade-resistant.



## A 21-gun salute to a bygone era



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Into this eco-minded age of milquetoast hybrid and electric vehicles, the 2012 Dodge Charger SRT8 comes roaring back to life sporting a honking-big V-8 engine and a serious case of nose-thumbing attitude.

Consider this big family sedan a 21-gun salute to a bygone era when full-size North American family sedans could be optioned with a surplus of tire-smoking grunt that made its normally buttoned-down drivers smile gleefully from ear to ear while the neighbours simply ran for cover.

The Charger is no anomaly, but part of a family of SRT8-branded vehicles for the 2012 model year that also includes the

Chrysler 300, Dodge Challenger and Jeep Grand Cherokee. They form what is one of the widest arrays of all-out performance machinery available anywhere.

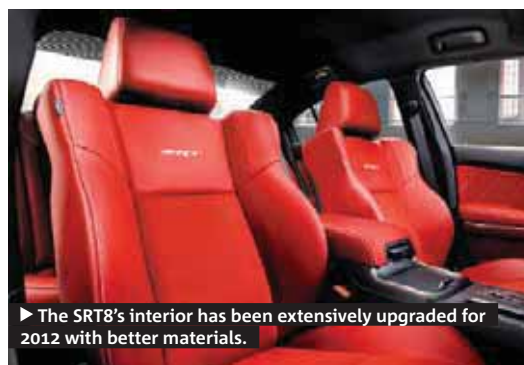
Compared to the previous SRT8, this one bares its teeth in a more menacing fashion.

The basic Charger underwent a 2011 refit that gave it a sleeker and more aggressive look, improved road manners and a new base V-6.

The SRT8 expands on this theme.

Needless to say, the \$54,000 (estimated) SRT8's performance and creature comforts would amaze its Hemi Charger ancestors.

That a car like this even exists in this day and age is perhaps the most amazing fact of all.



► The SRT8's interior has been extensively upgraded for 2012 with better materials.



► Despite a delicious interior and significant performance upgrades, buyers are still going to get a five-speed automatic transmission. This time around, though, there are paddles mounted to the steering wheel for shifting.

## Charger SRT8



What you should know about the 2012 Dodge Charger SRT8:

- **Types:** Four-door, rear-wheel-drive full-size sedan.
- **Engine (hp):** 6.4-litre OHV V-8 (470).
- **Transmission:** Five-speed automatic with paddle shifters.
- **Market position:** Despite economic and environmental concerns, a number of automakers are finding an audience for prodigiously powered vehicles. Think of the Charger as a "family-man's" Dodge Challenger.
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Launched for the 2003 model year, this Hummer featured 325 horsepower, a gargantuan body, and more off-road hardware than most of its owners would come close to needing. Big, tough and aggressive, the H2 was a fashion statement as much as a rock-crawling weapon.

Look for automatic climate control, power accessories, leather seats, Bose audio, auto-dimming mirrors and plenty more.



2003-10 Hummer H2

### Common issues

Ensure your potential H2 tracks straight down the road, as some owners have reported alignment issues evidenced by a "pull" to one side or the other. Cycle the H2 between its two- and four-wheel drive modes as outlined in the owner's manual, ensuring the transfer case shifts properly. Check carpeting thoroughly for signs of moisture, which may be caused by clogged, kinked or leaky sunroof drain hoses. Also ensure that steering-wheel mounted controls for the audio system and cruise control work properly.

### Engine

H2's six-litre, 325-horsepower engine was replaced in 2008 with a 6.2-litre unit that cranked out 393 ponies. The four-speed automatic was replaced with a six-speed unit, too.



### What owners like

Most owners report that their H2s deliver a smooth and comfortable ride that's also quiet when driven modestly. Interior space and size, functionality, versatility and all-road confidence are other major plusses, alongside a built-in sense of adventure.



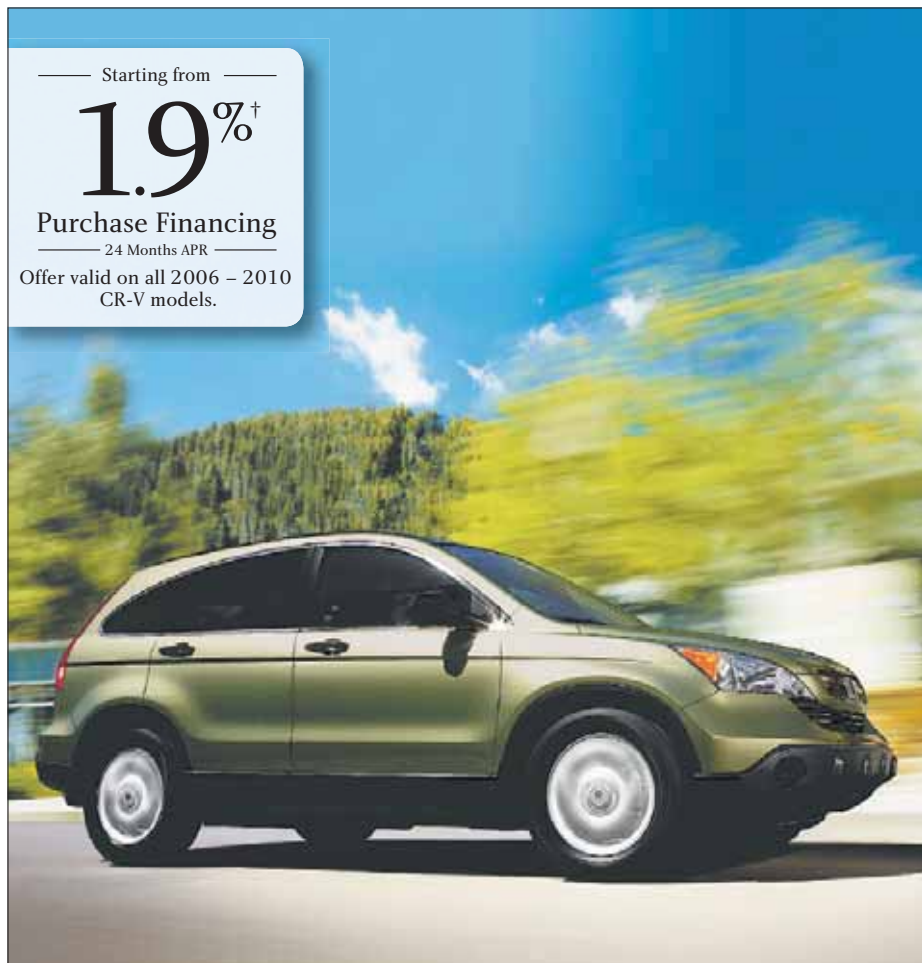
### What owners dislike

Gripes tend to centre around fuel consumption, parking difficulties, and issues fitting into snug quarters. Some owners wish for more performance from the factory Bose audio system, more in-cabin storage and more thoughtfulness to the ergonomics.



### Verdict

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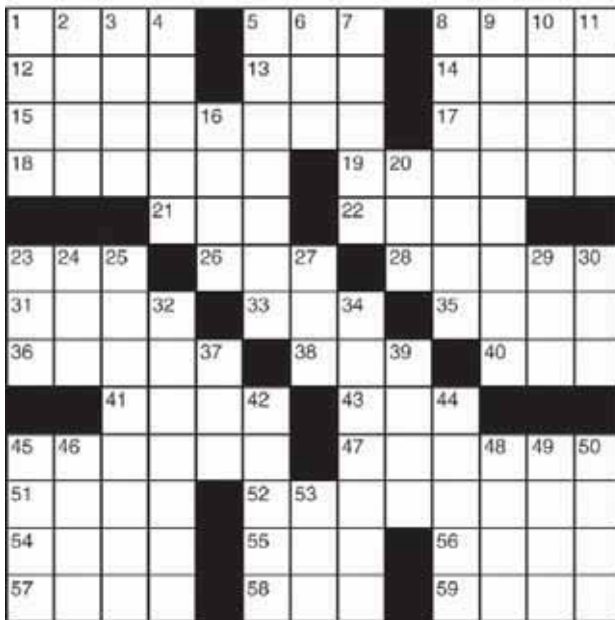
## Crossword

### Across

- 1 Discourteous
- 5 Party bowlful
- 8 Satan's minions
- 12 Getting — years
- 13 Nipper's co.
- 14 "The Lion King" li-oness
- 15 Woe
- 17 British gun
- 18 Surpass
- 19 Group of seven
- 21 Ex-garment
- 22 Eastern potentate (Var.)
- 23 Dog's "dog"
- 26 Brooks or Blanc
- 28 Filch
- 31 Promptly, on a memo
- 33 Dopey companion?
- 35 Catch sight of
- 36 Argentina's neighbour
- 38 Legislation
- 40 Witness
- 41 See to
- 43 Go up and down
- 45 Rub harshly against
- 47 Lack of vitality
- 51 Weeding tools
- 52 Stronghold
- 54 Otherwise
- 55 Raw rock
- 56 Carry on
- 57 Rolling stone's lack
- 58 Obtained
- 59 Choir voice

### Down

- 1 Took the bus
- 2 Alternative to Win-



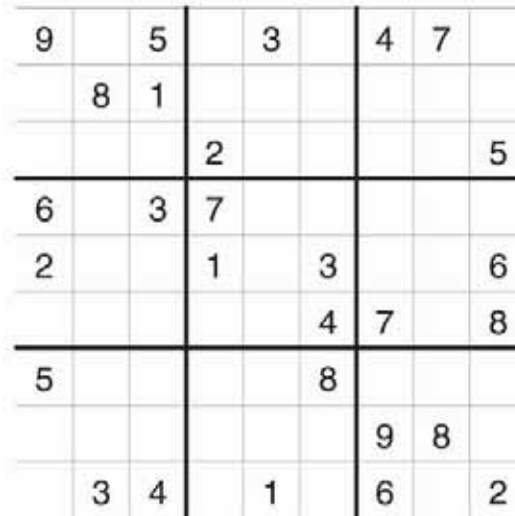
- dows
- 3 Platter
- 4 Go in
- 5 Coated in flour
- 6 Suffix with robot
- 7 High-ranking Turk
- 8 Notwithstanding, with "of"
- 9 Futon, for one
- 10 Entreaty
- 11 Beach stuff
- 16 Paper quantity
- 20 Type measures
- 23 — -Man (vintage video game)
- 24 Cigar residue
- 25 Diner employee
- 27 "That's funny," to a texter
- 29 Gorilla
- 30 Caustic solution
- 32 Satisfies
- 34 Life, to Sally Bowles
- 37 Tackle's teammate
- 39 Refuses to
- 42 Clear the air?
- 44 "Déjà vu all over again" speaker
- 45 Throat clearer
- 46 String tie
- 48 Repast

- 49 "— It Romantic?"
- 50 Regarding
- 53 Acapulco gold

### ► Yesterday's answer



## Sudoku



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4	3	2	8	1	5	6	9	7
6	7	9	1	3	8	4	5	2
8	2	4	9	5	7	1	3	6
3	1	5	6	4	2	7	8	9
2	8	1	7	9	3	5	6	4
7	5	3	4	8	6	9	2	1
9	4	6	5	2	1	8	7	3

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♈ **Aries** March 21-April 20 If you try too hard to impress your employer or someone else in a position of authority today you may end up doing more than is good for you.

♉ **Taurus** April 21-May 21 Believe in yourself and the world will believe in you too.

♊ **Gemini** May 22-June 21 Certain theories may seem convincing but you don't need to adopt what other people believe.

♋ **Cancer** June 22-July 22 Don't get too adventurous financially be-

cause this is not a good time to take that kind of risk.

♌ **Leo** July 23-Aug. 23 You need to be aware today of how your decisions impact on other people.

♍ **Virgo** Aug. 24-Sept. 22 Your confidence will get the kind of boost that makes all things seem possible.

♎ **Libra** Sept. 23-Oct. 23 If you were planning something strenuous for today or tomorrow it might be wise to think again.

♏ **Scorpio** Oct. 24-Nov. 22 You will be called on to deal with a challenge to your authority.

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♑ **Capricorn** Dec. 22-Jan. 20 You don't need to spend a fortune to get what you desire.

♒ **Aquarius** Jan. 21-Feb. 18

Don't let the world stifle your creativity.

♓ **Pisces** Feb. 19-March 20. Do whatever it takes to free up some time for yourself and the things that you want to do.

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